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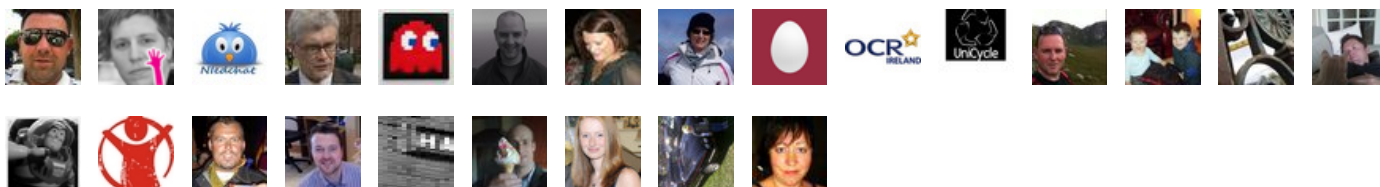
Parental Involvement

#NIedchat 17th Oct 2012

Trending Words

@medv2, -, parents, parental,
@dmchugh675, rt, @dmurray742,
@r_cunnane, 2, &, use, great,
strategies, manage, @

Event Participants





“@r_cunnane: Northgate Managed Service up for sale rumours continue <http://t.co/sS5FrNaa>” #niedchat

16-Oct-12 09:48 | sillygaz



1of2 #niedchat We're looking for schools who might be interested in our Lead Learner programme, trialled with 3 schools over the last 3 yrs

16-Oct-12 10:35 | ufasarah



2of2 #niedchat workin with excludd yp/those at risk of exclusion the prog had +ve impact of attendance and suspension rates. Get in touch?

16-Oct-12 10:36 | ufasarah



Have you made your selection for tomorrow night's #niedchat hosted by @medv2 ? <http://t.co/ISzOzGb0>

16-Oct-12 16:50 | Nledchat



RT @Nledchat: Have you made your selection for tomorrow night's #niedchat hosted by @medv2 ? <http://t.co/ISzOzGb0>

16-Oct-12 16:54 | tgeducation



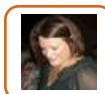
A Day Out with @OCRIRE - new blogpost here: <http://t.co/QZPujGUK> ... #niedchat #csin2012

16-Oct-12 16:55 | computing_teach



Does anyone know if Maria Boden is on Twitter. She's signed up for #tmbelfast but I can't get in touch with her. #Nledchat Please RT.

16-Oct-12 19:42 | dmurray742



#Niedchat At st Mary's university college, Belfast. Talking to the second year primary students about diversity and mutual understanding. :)

16-Oct-12 20:17 | he4therw4t5on



Oh my, how close is the poll this week! Exciting!! Make sure you get in there with your vote this week at #niedchat - <http://t.co/wvg4rrBa>

16-Oct-12 20:21 | medv2



"What strategies do you use to encourage and manage parental involvement?" - #Niedchat tomorrow night @ 8.30 - hosted by @medv2

16-Oct-12 20:49 | Nledchat



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16-Oct-12 23:36 | Dominiquecoll5



50% of post-primary schools need to improve use of digital technologies - ETI Chief Inspector. Exemplar in #Nledchat? <http://t.co/9m8Ga77n>

17-Oct-12 08:33 | tgeducation



RT @computing_teach: A Day Out with @OCRIRE - new blogpost here: <http://t.co/QZPujGUK> ... #niedchat #csin2012

17-Oct-12 09:09 | OCRIRE



@computing_teach Interestingly UICT and the other skills would be evidenced naturally *almost* in this system. #niedchat

17-Oct-12 17:00 | dmchugh675



Hollande promises to ditch homework....via @Conneist #niedchat <http://t.co/UGS1hGvf>

17-Oct-12 17:39 | dmchugh675



@dmchugh675 You forget the usefulness of any KS3 ICT must be determined by CCEA, and that we can't assess without pointless tasks. #niedchat

17-Oct-12 17:44 | computing_teach



@dmchugh675 Made-up-nonsense aside, what are your plans for KS3? #niedchat

17-Oct-12 17:44 | computing_teach



Just home but still hve time 2 grab a bite 2 eat be4 #niedchat @8.30. rllly looking forward 2 sharing ideas w/ evry1 abt parental involvement

17-Oct-12 18:10 | medv2



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17-Oct-12 18:13 | Nledchat



Check out the great wee iPad app Topia. World builder with many uses for all abilities. Therapeutic also! #niedchat

17-Oct-12 18:27 | 1sttimedad



#Niedchat in 1 hour with @medv2. "What strategies do you use to encourage and manage parental involvement?"

17-Oct-12 18:30 | Nledchat



#Niedchat in 30 mins with @medv2. "What strategies do you use to encourage and manage parental involvement?"

17-Oct-12 19:00 | Nledchat



Hope u r all queuing up 2 say Hello in #niedchat, the place to be @ 8.30pm. Plz feel encouraged to join in as all contributions are welcomed

17-Oct-12 19:01 | medv2



RT @medv2: Hope u r all queuing up 2 say Hello in #niedchat, the place to be @ 8.30pm. Plz feel encouraged to join in as all contributions are welcomed

17-Oct-12 19:02 | dmurray742



RT @Nledchat: #Niedchat in 30 mins with @medv2. "What strategies do you use to encourage and manage parental involvement?"

17-Oct-12 19:02 | dmurray742



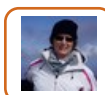
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17-Oct-12 19:06 | Nledchat



@medv2 I'm looking forward to it Donna. Are you all set? #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:13 | dmchugh675



As long as I keep remembering that I am hosting tonight and don't get carried away LOL #Nledchat , willing to give a go :)

17-Oct-12 19:15 | medv2



@medv2 Hullo! Dáithí here - teacher in @stpaulsbbrook. Really looking forward to tonight's #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:31 | dmurray742



@medv2 Hi! #niedchat ("see" some of you on Friday @ #tmbelfast2 ;)

17-Oct-12 19:32 | bellaale



great to see you guys tonight and hope you are full of ideas , yes indeed Fri nite also :)#Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:32 | medv2



Let's start off by briefly considering the benefits of parental involvement to both the pupil and you as a teacher #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:32 | medv2



Will try that again - Barry here - multitasking! #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:33 | MrMalcontent



Using Tweetdeck for Chrome tonight. Hope it's not going to be another pain - like its standalone big brother. #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:33 | dmurray742



Hello Barry, glad you could make it, #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:33 | medv2



Hello #Niedchat We run a programme in schools in NI and are really interested in tonights discussion @medv2

17-Oct-12 19:33 | savechildren_ni



@MrMalcontent All set for #TMBelfast B? #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:34 | dmchugh675



@savechildren_ni You are very welcome, we are interested to share about parental involvement - encouraging and managing #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:34 | medv2



#niedchat Hi Ray here. SSNI partner. Sitting on the side. Might jump in!

17-Oct-12 19:34 | r_cunnane



You are very welcome to join in Ray, perhaps u can share the parents' perspective? #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:35 | medv2



so folks - the benefits of parental involvement to both the pupil and you as a teacher #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:36 | medv2



#niedchat hi everyone, hope to hear some ideas to help me get parents involved with my subject, Irish. Hoping to see plenty of Qs & As

17-Oct-12 19:37 | cillian_walsh



@medv2 Parental support vital for good outcomes. More important than the teacher perhaps??? #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:37 | dmchugh675



@cillian_walsh We target parents at PTM @Yr10 and Yr12 dispelling myths and providing concrete evidence. Has worked so far. #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:41 | AnGaeilgeoir1



@medv2 Sometimes the parent can have unrealistic expectations of child which can hinder development and stunt self-identity #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:41 | dmurray742



@dmurray742 @medv2 Agree. Trusting a teacher's 'professional judgement' is vital too. We all want the best, #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:41 | dmchugh675



@dmchugh675 @dmurray742 haha hence the topic tonight is about encouraging and managing (diplomatically of course) #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:43 | medv2



@r_cunnane No - I think that's an important point Ray. V little dialogue between home and school on what learning is occurring #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:43 | dmurray742



@dmurray742 @medv2 Use of grades in KS3 which don't translate to GCSE grades compounds this problem in all-abiltiy schools. #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:43 | dmchugh675



@r_cunnane @medv2 Remember the hashtag Ray or only I will see your comments #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:44 | dmurray742



@curriculumni Hello! u very welcome, already going at a fast pace here but plz jump on :) #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:44 | medv2



@medv2 @dmchugh675 #niedchat had yr 10 ptm today, most enjoyable of my career - genuine interest from parents shown. #easytoworkwith

17-Oct-12 19:45 | cillian_walsh



@r_cunnane We don't Ray. There was a need for parental ed with the intro of the 'revised' curriculum in particular. #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:45 | dmchugh675



@dmchugh675 @r_cunnane Would love to see how a genuine dialogue with teacher and parent would operate? Social media a useful tool? #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:46 | dmurray742



@cillian_walsh Did all subject teachers meet with parents or just the form teachers? #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:46 | dmchugh675



@dmurray742 @medv2 #niedchat have experienced this, hard to tell a parent that though.

17-Oct-12 19:46 | cillian_walsh



@dmurray742 @r_cunnane Have spoken to parents who use Fronter to keep in contact with school. They appreciated being 'involved', #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:47 | dmchugh675



@cillian_walsh Excellent ! have you thoughts about how this enthusiasm can be nurtured/maintained? #niedchat #easytoworkwith

17-Oct-12 19:47 | medv2



@dmurray742 @r_cunnane Reminds me, must print parent codes for Edmodo before the Y12 PTM on Monday. Doing our revision online ;) #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:49 | dmchugh675



@dmchugh675 @r_cunnane Now that's interesting! Distribute parental codes at PTM?!? Never thought of that one... #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:50 | dmurray742



@savechildren_ni oohh - you want to tell us more? #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:50 | medv2



@bellaale not yet! what about #niedchat?? come back in :)

17-Oct-12 19:51 | medv2



@dmchugh675 @dmurray742 @r_cunnane Do elaborate!! #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:52 | lcgeography



@dmchugh675 @dmurray742 parents using Fronter! That's fantastic. #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:52 | r_cunnane



FAST is all about building relationships. Between parents, children, teachers & the community - <http://t.co/zrv6ONh> #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:53 | savechildren_ni



@dmurray742 @dmchugh675 @r_cunnane Do any parents follow u on twitter? #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:53 | lcgeography



@lcgeography @dmurray742 @r_cunnane Parents can log in to Edmodo and see their son/daughters tasks, grades etc. #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:53 | dmchugh675



Okay #niedchat - get me up to speed in 140 characters or less!

17-Oct-12 19:53 | MrMalcontent



RT @savechildren_ni: FAST is all abt building relationships. Btween parents, children, teachers & community - <http://t.co/uoECzWWL> #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:53 | medv2



Do you think we'd have a more informed dialogue with parents if they had access to all the SIMS data we collate (post-primary)? #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:54 | dmurray742



@lcgeography @dmurray742 @r_cunnane I'm not sure...that's what keeps me on my toes! #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:54 | dmchugh675



@dmchugh675 @dmurray742 @r_cunnane Only their own child? #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:54 | lcgeography



@dmurray742 Is that not the plan...eventually? #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:54 | dmchugh675



@medv2 #niedchat could be just lucky to have 2 great yr 10 classes with great parents this year! Not sure how i can maintain enthusiasm tho!

17-Oct-12 19:55 | cillian_walsh



@MrMalcontent Parental involvement Barry, strat to engage & Manage but we talking communicating at the mo #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:55 | medv2



@dmchugh675 I think so. It'll present a lot of challenges, but will it be worth it? #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:55 | dmurray742



@dmurray742 Can I ask re data? #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:55 | medv2



@medv2 Yip - ask away. #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:56 | dmurray742



@dmurray742 Would it be an issue if some schs choose to use Portal to share & yours didnt? #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:56 | medv2



@MrsDMorrow @dmurray742 @r_cunnane Edmodo makes life easier! #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:56 | dmchugh675



@medv2 I think it would be. Schs will come under pressure to 'open data' to parents if others are seen to be doing it. #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:57 | dmurray742



There has to be as much sharing (realistic) of curriculum aims and objectives as possible - open curriculum nights help this #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:57 | MrMalcontent



@dmurray742 @dmchugh675 #niedchat fair point Daithí, although we do have yr 10 & 12 options day when parents & pupils talk for longer

17-Oct-12 19:57 | cillian_walsh



@MrMalcontent Barry do u want to share some of your strategies for sharing wiv Parents #primaryperspect #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:58 | medv2



@dmurray742 SIMS confuses me and I use it every day...what chance for parents? #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:58 | dmchugh675



@dmchugh675 so you feel some of it needs explanation, attendance could be good to share? sch can choose what to share :) #niedchat

17-Oct-12 19:59 | medv2



@dmchugh675 I've seen it used effectively in England. It's compulsory that schools have a Parent Portal.Needs sensitivity tho. #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:00 | dmurray742



We have our curriculum evening for each class; curriculum workshops; open door policy; Facebook & Twitter feed; creates openness #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:00 | MrMalcontent



@cillian_walsh Yes - part of our policy of engagement. Workshops led by coordinators #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:02 | MrMalcontent



@mrmalcontent Is it a challenge to get parents to come to sch ? is this growing or in decline? #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:02 | medv2



I visited a school last year that had a parents room where they could drop in make tea, run courses. Anyone else have that? #Niedchat?

17-Oct-12 20:02 | corrineheaney



@medv2 In KS4 grade tracking could be useful. #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:02 | dmchugh675



@medv2 I think parents have a greater expectation of this in primary schools, though. #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:03 | MrMalcontent



@corrineheaney We have it on Friday mornings #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:03 | MrMalcontent



@corrineheaney sounds fantastic idea, do you know if it was well used? primary or post primary? #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:03 | medv2



@MrMalcontent Whole school or departmental twitter/Facebook? #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:03 | lcgeography



#niedchat Hi all, late again. I'd like less formal but more regular opps to talk to parents- so many colleagues would disagree.

17-Oct-12 20:03 | petersg76



@lcgeography Whole school - I'm responsible for it. Primary, no departments :) #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:04 | MrMalcontent



@dmurray742 #niedchat open evening for current pupils, not just the big clean up for prospective P7s?

17-Oct-12 20:04 | cillian_walsh



@petersg76 I agree. The formal PTM is useless, but sometimes the conversation in the carpark can be so much more useful? #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:04 | dmurray742



@dmchugh675 I find teaching kids easier than counting them too! #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:04 | petersg76



@MrMalcontent @cillian_walsh Brilliant idea Barry. Definitely a need to show parents how schools and lessons have changed. #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:04 | dmchugh675



It was a primary school. Gets really well used, both at drop off and collection times and for training courses #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:05 | corrineheaney



@petersg76 #niedchat i concur, sometimes standing at the coffee dock allows for more engagement than sitting across a desk in a sports hall!

17-Oct-12 20:06 | cillian_walsh



if there has been an incident, we phone the parent 1st ask them to call in instead of the 'walk of shame in playground' #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:06 | MrMalcontent



#niedchat UniCycle is aimed at PTA's to run, but I want to build it to a classroom resource . Could this bring parents into the classroom?

17-Oct-12 20:06 | uniform_recycle



#Niedchat do you get much help from parents in school - voluntary help or is this a myth of the past?

17-Oct-12 20:07 | medv2



@MrMalcontent Is there a difference in parental expectations re involvement in primary & PP? Or is that a stereotype? #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:08 | lcgeography



@curriculumni Nice one! Much interest and uptake? #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:08 | dmurray742



@medv2 you get back what you give out. Always was and shall be. Keep parents at arm's length and you create issues #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:08 | MrMalcontent



Using technology is a great idea @dmurray742 but need to find other mechanisms for parents who don't have internet access #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:09 | corrineheaney



@lcgeography I think so. Not really a stereotype and am experiencing it at the moment! #makeappointment! #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:09 | MrMalcontent



@corrineheaney #niedchat very true! how do schools get round this #hardtoeachparents #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:10 | medv2



@corrineheaney Oh I agree totally, but with 1500 sets of parents it's hard to communicate effectively with them all consistently #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:10 | dmurray742



@curriculumni No - LOL! That bad? #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:10 | MrMalcontent



@medv2 We have a "Parents, Teachers and Friends Association" which does a lot of great work for us. #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:11 | dmchugh675



@dmurray742 Of course it is but isn't this where the main levels of disengagement happen? #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:11 | MrMalcontent



#Niedchat great to hear there is still hands on involvement now let move on to the stickie one..... wait for it..... ready?????

17-Oct-12 20:12 | medv2



@medv2 #niedchat trying to remember any help i got for classroom...got a poster sent in once about Irish birds (wild ones) cos i teach irish

17-Oct-12 20:12 | cillian_walsh



@cillian_walsh I think I got that one too. #random #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:13 | dmurray742



Reminds me - I need to put a tweet out to get lego sent in for my kids #raspberry_pi case #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:13 | MrMalcontent



@curriculumni run that one past me again plz??? #lostonme #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:14 | medv2



RT @MrMalcontent: Reminds me - I need to put a tweet out to get lego sent in for my kids #raspberry_pi case #niedchat #poweroftwitter

17-Oct-12 20:14 | medv2



@medv2 Reason, don't preach (and blame the Dept. and ET!!!!) #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:14 | MrMalcontent



@medv2 DOn't know about solutions Donna but maybe we should involve parents more when developing school policies. #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:15 | dmchugh675



RT @curriculumni: i think that is hilarious 2 male teachers get a poster abt irish birds lol #niedchat < says an Irish

17-Oct-12 20:15 | MrMalcontent



The awkward moment when Tweetdeck has its weekly head stagger. #Niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:16 | dmurray742



@medv2 some will never play ball but like with their kids we have to try. Helps if u can charm birds from trees too! #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:17 | petersg76



@r_cunnane @medv2 True... should parents need encouragement to look at their child's progress? #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:17 | dmchugh675



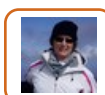
@curriculumni @dmurray742 #niedchat & wild ones at that! Lol! #notfussedontamedames

17-Oct-12 20:17 | cillian_walsh



@medv2 And, we must also remember, it (usually) is a small minority > Think 80:20 #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:19 | MrMalcontent



@petersg76 sounds like sound advice - people skills are crucial e.g. avoid red pen msgs at end of homework to parents? #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:19 | medv2



@medv2 Utterly!!! Nothing drives parents away faster! Be delighted that your kids tried and the parents helped! #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:20 | MrMalcontent



@medv2 @petersg76 Lazy Teacher's Handbook recommends "Friday phone calls home' for 2 or 3 pupils to reward effort. #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:22 | dmchugh675



And don't be afraid to admit you're wrong sometimes! #wearehuman #niedchat Humility goes a long way...

17-Oct-12 20:22 | MrMalcontent



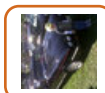
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17-Oct-12 20:22 | MrMalcontent



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17-Oct-12 20:22 | medv2



#niedchat You also end up hearing a lot of home woes too...but listening's important.

17-Oct-12 20:24 | petersg76



@medv2 If activities, homeworks etc are posted on a VLE enthusiastic parents can get involved without having to lift the phone #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:24 | dmchugh675



RT @dmchugh675: If activities, homeworks etc R posted on a VLE enthusiastic parents cn get involved w/out having 2 lift the phn #niedchat +1

17-Oct-12 20:25 | MrMalcontent



@petersg76 That's good information too...can explain behaviours/ attitudes and help you find an approach that works. #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:26 | dmchugh675



@dmchugh675 good and a great way for parents to be aware of what needs to be covered by pupil #niedchat #raiseawareness #planning

17-Oct-12 20:26 | medv2



@petersg76 I will do it someday....just can't seem to get the time! #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:27 | dmchugh675



#Niedchat we also do super learning days once a term where parents and relatives come in to do activities with the kids.

17-Oct-12 20:28 | richmulcahy



Brille sharing of ideas - this is what makes Wednesday nights invaluable 2 us all – something for everyone #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:28 | medv2



RT @richmulcahy: #Niedchat we also do super learning days once a term where parents and relatives come in to do activities with the kids.

17-Oct-12 20:28 | dmurray742



#niedchat The use of texting service has been very effective in getting parents to support events, etc

17-Oct-12 20:28 | LITTLELADYJAYNE



#niedchat Fr Ted episode comes to mind - 3 bishops & fr jack "involve the lay people but keep them at a distance"! #parentinvolvement

17-Oct-12 20:28 | cillian_walsh



#niedchat > Jumping in at the end > #TMBelfast this Friday evening!!! Food from 5-30, Raffles all night and inspiring peeps! Bring a friend!

17-Oct-12 20:30 | MrMalcontent



@medv2 Listen to what is being said to you. Be positive with parental engagement - it's the only way. Praise! Praise! Praise! #Nledchat

17-Oct-12 20:30 | dmurray742



RT @LITTLELADYJAYNE: #niedchat The use of texting service has been very effective in getting parents to support events, etc - Like that!

17-Oct-12 20:30 | medv2



#niedchat be approachable and non judgemental

17-Oct-12 20:31 | LITTLELADYJAYNE



@medv2 Yes > two ears and one mouth for a reason. #cheeky #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:31 | MrMalcontent



@MrMalcontent TMBelfast what's that????????? :P #niedchat #TMBelfast

17-Oct-12 20:31 | medv2



PS... we'll be livestreaming for those who can't make it on Fri evening (notes of explanation to Barry pls!) <http://t.co/dYIsfbbf> #Nledchat

17-Oct-12 20:31 | dmurray742



You guys are something else! Seriously impressed by your openness to discuss and learn. Bravo #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:31 | r_cunnane



RT @r_cunnane: You guys are something else! Seriously impressed by your openness to discuss and learn. Bravo #niedchat Excellent!!

17-Oct-12 20:31 | medv2



@medv2 don't be afraid to talk with, involve & most of all listen to any parent. #niedchat (No matter what cynical colleagues say!)

17-Oct-12 20:31 | petersg76



Well done @medv2. Really enjoyed the chat tonight...you're a star!!!! #niedchat

17-Oct-12 20:32 | dmchugh675



#niedchat Folks Thanks so much for your input, dont be afraid to keep going but I am hanging up my hostess boots - job done for tonight :)

17-Oct-12 20:32 | medv2



@AnseoAMuinteoir Best wishes to #cesimeetw on Fri night too. Great CPD opportunities for teachers this weekend! #Nledchat

17-Oct-12 20:32 | dmurray742



@medv2 Well done Donna - a tour de force, and a fascinating chat with so many learning points. Bravo! #Nledchat

17-Oct-12 20:33 | dmurray742



RT @dmurray742: @AnseoAMuinteoir Best wishes to #cesimeetw on Fri night too. Great CPD opportunities for teachers this weekend! #Nledchat

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